COUNTRY PROFILE

OPEN DATA INVENTORY 2017



Botswana

National Statistics Office of Botswana

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SCORES BY MAJOR DATA CATEGORY

	Social	Economic	Environmental
Botswana	42%	60%	30%
Southern Africa	29%	37%	28%
Global	36%	49%	33%

SUMMARY

Botswana ranks 70 in the Open Data Inventory 2017 with an overall score of 43%. The overall score is a combination of a data coverage subscore of 37% and a data openness subscore of 49%.

Botswana scores higher than the regional median across all three major data categories. Within the country, the highest levels of coverage and openness are on economic statistics and the lowest levels are on environmental statistics.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Coverage

- Collect and publish more disaggregated data in social and environmental statistics.
- Collect and publish more data that are disaggregated by sex and are relevant to the welfare of women and their children.

Openness

• Publish more environmental data in machine-readable and nonproprietary formats such as XLSX, CSV, or JSON.

9%

Publish more metadata to accompany data to increase its • usefulness.

COVERAGE & OPENNESS

Statistics Category				
Coverage		Openness		
	Population & vital statistics			
	Education facilities			
	Education outcomes			
	Health facilities			
	Health outcomes			
	Reproductive health			
	Gender statistics			
	Crime & justice			
	Poverty & income			
	National accounts			
	Labor			
	Price indexes			
	Government finance			
	Money & banking			
	International trade			
	Balance of payments			
	Land use			
	Resource use			
	Energy use			
	Pollution			
	Built environment			

100%

INDEX COMPARISONS

Open Data Inventory 2017

Open Data Barometer 2016

Global Open Data Index 2016/2017

National Strategy for the Development of Statistics (NSDS): Current 43% strategy covers the period 2015-2020. General/Special Data Dissemination System (GDDS/SDDS): e-GDDS Statistical Capacity Indicator 2017 50% Participant. Open Government Partnership: Not a member. 60%

MORE INFORMATION

Right to Information Law: Not available.

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